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Title: Multiple Image Area Detection in a Digital Image

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 53 page(s) Specification (not including claims)
 10 page(s) Claims
 1 page Abstract
 21 Sheet(s) of Drawings (Figs. 1-8, 9a, 9b, 10-16, 17a, 17b, 20, 21a, 21b, 22-28)
 1 page(s) Declaration For Patent Application and Power of Attorney
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 1 page(s) PTO Form 1449 citing 4 references
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